(d) It is expected that during the current year, the company, may produce around 178 million tonnes coal against the target of 183.50 million tonnes.

**Recovery of overcharged amounts**

648. SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Supreme Court delivered judgement dismissing the petitions filed by certain drug companies challenging the Government notified prices;

(b) if so, when was such judgement delivered;

(c) what action has been taken on the judement against the drug companies involved;

(d) whether Government have worked out the overchrged amount for recovery;

(c) if so, what is the final amount worked out against each company and upto what period;

(f) whether it is a fact that Government have noticed certain irregularities in these calculations;

(g) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(h) what is the amount recovered from each company upto 31st January, 1990 ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) 10th April, 1987 and 1st May, 1987.

(c) to (d) A Special Team was constituted to determine the amount recoverable from all the companies involved the Supreme Court case. The assessments, made by the team are being scrutinised and a decision in this regard will be taken shortly.

(h) The amount received from the Companies upto 31-1-90 is given below:

| SI. No. | Name of the Company | (Rs. in lakhs) |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 1. | M/s. Hoechst (I) Ltd, | 312-10 |
| 2. | M/s. Cyanamic (I) Ltd. | 100- 00 |
| 3. | M/s. John Wyeth (I) Ltd. | 45 00 |
| 4. | M/s. Pfizer Limited . | 19-90 |
| 5. | M/s. Franc Indian Ph. Ltd | 1-43 |
| 6. | M/s. Ethnor Ltd. | 8-00 |

Import of intermediates for the production of bulk drugs

649. CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that certain organised sector units were found importing intermediates during 1989 for the production of bulk drugs contrary to the approved conditions;

*(b)* if so, when did such instances come to the notice of his Ministry;

(c) whether his Ministry took any action in the matter; and

(d) if so, when and what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY) : (a) No unit in the organised sector was found to import intermediates in violation of conditions of the approval in the year 1989.

(b) to (d) Does not arise.